

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Fig. 1 is amended herein to further connect reference numeral 20 with the illustrated upper oven heater.

REMARKS

In accordance with the foregoing, FIG. 1 and claims 1, 2, 10, 11, 15 and 17 have been amended. Claims 1-7 and 10-20 are pending and under consideration. Claims 8 and 9 are withdrawn from consideration. Claims 18-19 are allowed. Claims 2-7 and 11-16 are objected to.

The objection to the drawings is overcome by the present amendments to Fig. 1.

The objections to claims 2, 11 and 15 are overcome by the present amendments.

The rejections based on Maruyama in view of JP ' 493 are respectfully traversed. It is respectfully submitted that these references do not teach the plurality of heaters comprising an upper oven heater in an upper part of an inside wall of the oven compartment, a lower oven heater in a lower part of an inside wall of the oven compartment, and a door heater in an inside wall of the door, as claimed for example, in independent claim 1

Accordingly, withdrawal of the rejections is requested.

There being no further outstanding objections or rejections, it is submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. An early action to that effect is courteously solicited.


Finally, if there are any formal matters remaining after this response, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned to attend to these matters.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this Amendment, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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